

Application No. 09/721,506
Preliminary Amendment dated March 7, 2003

REMARKS

In addition to the substitute specification, a marked up version of the specification showing the amendments that have been made is enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. The amendments simply insert appropriate sequence identifiers, correct minor typographical errors and update the references to related applications. The claim to priority to U.S. Patent Application No. 08/724,643, filed October 1, 1996 has been relinquished.

The substitute specification includes no new matter.

No fee is believed to be required in connection with this submission. If, however, a fee is due, the Examiner is authorized to charge such fee to deposit account 20-1430.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

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